

# THE MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE.

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## FOUR FACES

That Should Convince Even the Most Skeptical.

W. R. Black and his henchmen who have been parading that lawsuit against Judge Sampson before the public for some time past, know that there is nothing in their contention, and, when the searchlight of truth is turned on, it will vanish as the mist before the rising sun.

We will set out four facts here that are sufficient to convince even the most skeptical that the whole story is simply a trumped-up scheme for the purpose of deceiving the voter into supporting Black.

1st. Judge Sampson bought several hundred acres of the mineral land and paid for it and took deeds to himself for it before he ever heard of such a person as R. O. Campbell, or the R. O. Campbell Coal Co.

2nd. When he sold the land to R. O. Campbell, he and his wife made deeds of general warranty and acknowledged them themselves for this property that Judge Sampson had bought prior to this transaction.

3rd. Judge Sampson still owns a considerable acreage of the mineral lands he purchased before and after he made a contract with R. O. Campbell to furnish him with ten thousand acres, at \$1.00 per acre.

4th. Judge Sampson never at any time received from R. O. Campbell one penny as salary for services or expense money while making these purchases and securing title to this property.

Now, let's take a reasonable, common-sense view of the whole matter. Is it plausible to believe that if Judge Sampson was buying land for the R. O. Campbell Coal Co., he would take the deeds to himself? And, if he did, would he not have turned over his entire purchase to R. O. Campbell at the time he deeded the ten thousand acres, if he had been employed as the legal agent and attorney of the R. O. Campbell Coal Co.? Again, would he not have been entitled to a salary and expense money for his time and labor, if he was the hired attorney and agent of the R. O. Campbell Coal Co.? Now, if R. O. Campbell fails to produce receipts and checks showing that he has paid Judge Sampson a salary for the time he now alleges that Sampson was acting as his attorney and agent, and also show that Sampson did not take the title to the property purchased in his own name, and that Sampson does not now own any of the mineral land that he purchased in the years 1905 and 1906, then this whole scheme is exploded and shown to be the rankest kind of campaign lies, started for the deliberate purpose of injuring the fair name of one of Knox County's honored citizens.

Let every voter weigh this matter out for himself, and see that every charge that has been made in that suit is a wilful and malicious misstatement of facts; and W. R. Black is carrying a copy of that suit about over the district, reading it to intelligent voters and attempting to scare them with such a clap-trap as that.

A man who would resort to such low, underhanded trickery and underhanded deception deserves nothing better than the ignominious defeat that the voters of the district have laid up for him on March 25, when Sampson will sweep the district like a cyclone.

## Governor Willson Endorses "Back Home" Movement

Johnson City, Tenn.,—The following letter has been received at the office of the industrial department of the Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio Railway in this city:

"STATE OF KENTUCKY  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
FRANKFORT  
"Mr. W. D. Roberts,  
Johnson City Tenn.,  
"My dear Mr. Roberts:

I like very much your slogan of the South and your address on the cooperation of railroads in Southern Immigration, the emigration from Kentucky, of which I have a good deal of knowledge, is incredible in its extent. Kentucky has really settled and has a great hand in the government of all of the States West and the whole Northwest to the Pacific Ocean. It has furnished 106 Governors of other States and Territories, of whom I have the names, 105, in a published book, and the 106th is the last Governor of Oklahoma, Governor Lee Cruise, and I think that taking the proportion of other citizens to Governors in my State, it is a reasonable inference that if we had kept the people who had emigrated from Kentucky, our State today would have five millions of people and be one of the richest States in the Union. We have plenty of good land not half worked. We can support ten millions of people in Kentucky if our resources are properly developed, and if our people will come 'back home' from the West and the North and the Northwest or a small percentage of them, it will make the State much better, greater, stronger, happier and more useful and prosperous for all.

"Yours truly,  
"Augustus E. Willson,  
"Governor of Kentucky"

## Another Star Witness Exposed

Several years ago one of Black's star witnesses, Milton Tuttle, bought a tract of land for \$200.00. He gave Judge Sampson a lease on it for \$200.00. This sum was to be paid in four installments. Sampson paid one instalment and then assigned the lease to Joseph Binder, of South Dakota, with the consent of said Tuttle; and it was further agreed that said Binder was to pay the balance of this money to said Tuttle, and Tuttle agreed to this and took Binder for the balance of the debt; and Binder drilled wells on these lands and Binder paid Tuttle all of this money and the lease was returned and several years after Binder went away Tuttle came into court and thought he would skin Judge Sampson out of \$62.00.

In this trial mentioned by Tuttle, the facts set out above were pleaded as a defense, and the court ordered the jury to find for Sampson. And this ruling of the court was not based on limitations. The court ordered the jury to find for Sampson on the ground that it was shown by Tuttle's own testimony that he agreed to the assignment of the lease to Binder, and also took Binder for the debt; and Tuttle also admitted that Binder had paid him money on the lease and the lease had been returned to him. This is another star witness of Black's exposed. Tuttle better pay his honest debts in Knox county and learn to tell the truth before he poses as a witness. The court and all who heard Tuttle's tale were convinced that he was making a false claim against Judge Sampson. No man can truthfully say that Judge Sampson ever denied any honest debt, as was ever sued on one.

## W. W. BYRLEY

Former Republican Chairman States That W. R. Black Electioneered for Democrat Against Republican Nominee.

STATE OF KENTUCKY,  
COUNTY OF KNOX.

The affiant, W. W. Byrley, says that he has heretofore served as Jailor of Knox county and as Sheriff of Knox county and was for four years Chairman of the Republican Committee of the Eleventh Congressional District of Kentucky, and for a number of years Chairman of the Knox County Republican Committee and that while he was acting as Chairman of the Republican County Committee in 1896, one W. R. Black, who is now a candidate for Circuit Judge, in the Republican primary, made a fight at the regular November election for Congress, who was then responding free silver, and at a precinct on Stinking Creek the said W. R. Black had a large sum of money on election day and used it and attempted to use it in buying votes for the Democratic candidates, that when the polls were closed, very few of the persons that W. R. Black had attempted to buy had voted as he had asked them to vote; that affiant was there present at the time and came home with the said W. R. Black on horseback and that the said W. R. Black repeatedly said, "G—d—them, they won't vote the way they say they will", thereby meaning that the persons he had attempted to pay to vote the Democratic ticket in that election had voted the Republican ticket instead.

Affiant further states that on said election grounds there was an attempt made to drive this affiant away from the grounds because affiant was making a fight for the straight Republican ticket, and it is affiant's belief that the said W. R. Black attempted to have this affiant drove off from said grounds by desperate men who attempted to raise a difficulty with affiant.

Affiant further states that after said time, he went to the said W. R. Black, and as Chairman of the Republican Committee, asked him if he would not make some speeches in the interest of the party and the said W. R. Black answered, in substance, that he did not have the time; that he was out of politics and that there was nothing in politics, and refused to, and did not, make any speeches for the party.

W. W. BYRLEY.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me by W. W. Byrley Feb. 7, 1911.

LILA HAYES  
Notary Public Knox County.  
My commission expires March 4, 1914.

## Who Endorsed Judge Sampson?

Since both the candidates are now before the people of the District asking for their suffrage, and both candidates were applicants for the appointment last summer, the question naturally arises now, who endorsed Sampson, when he failed to secure the appointment of the Governor?

We could not give a full and complete list but we know a part of those who went on record as endorsing each of the two candidates.

First we will name United States Senator, Wm. O. Bradley who endorsed Sampson. Second, every Republican State Senator of Kentucky with only one exception, that of Senator A. R. Burman, a corporation lawyer, who endorsed Black. All the rest endorsed Sampson. Third, every Republican member of the Legislature of Kentucky endorsed Sampson. Fourth every county officer of Knox County endorsed Sampson.

Fifth, nearly every member of the Knox County Bar endorsed Sampson, except the firm of which Ethel was a member, they are corporation attorneys and were backing Black. Sixth, every member or almost every member of the Williamson Bar endorsed Sampson. Seventh, a large number of the members of the Bar of Pineville, Manchester and London endorsed Sampson. Eighth, over two thousand of the good citizens of Knox and Whiteley counties who were interested in having a Judge appointed who would stand on the rights of the people, endorsed Sampson. They were for Sampson then because they believed he was the man to serve their interests and they are for him now and will be for him on March 25th.

These people are standing back of Judge Sampson and demanding that he be elected because he will, if elected, protect their interests instead of working in the interests of the corporations of the district.

On the other hand, W. R. Black had twelve endorsements from Knox and thirteen from Whiteley, also the endorsement of J. T. Shelby, of Lexington, a well known corporation attorney, together with Senator A. R. Burman, another corporation lawyer, and the L. & N. Ry. attorneys and that is about the size of the crowd that is now supporting Black, and it looks as though they are for him because they believe he will better serve the interests of the corporations than will Judge Sampson. Black ignored the wish of the people when he secured the appointment and he would ignore the wish of the people now if it was in his power to snatch the office from their hands and apply it to himself, but the people rule and Sampson will prove an easy winner.

In Knox county, today, there is not a precinct but what Sampson would receive a majority of all the Republican votes if the election should be held and he has not lost an inch of ground since the race began. Knox county people know his true worth and do not give ear to any of the false and slanderous reports that the opposition is attempting to put into circulation against him, but are patiently waiting for the time to cast their votes for him.

## No Primary to be Held

There being no opposition to Mr. William F. Parker of this city, the executive authority of the counties of Whiteley and Knox met at the Corbin Hotel in the city of Corbin on February 23rd and issued to Mr. Parker a certificate of nomination and he will be declared the Republican nominee from Legislative District No. 60.

Mr. Parker is an energetic young man, and we believe can command as many votes as any other man whom the party could have honored with the nomination. Again we wish him much success.

## How to Enter a Printing Office.

Advance to the outer door and give three distinct raps, and the devil will attend the alarm and report the cause. You will give him your name post-office address and the number of years you are in arrears. He will admit you. You will then advance to the centre of the room and address the editor with the following: Extend the right hand about two feet from the body with the thumb and index finger clasping a \$10 bill; this you will drop in the extended palm of the editor, who will always be found as ready to receive as you will be ready to give. After giving him the news of your neighborhood, you will be permitted to retire with the receipt by one of the properly educated—Ed—

## MORE AFFIDAVITS

Isaac McKinney and James Patterson Make Affidavits Concerning the Land Deals Made by F. D. Sampson.

STATE OF KENTUCKY,  
COUNTY OF KNOX.

The affiant, Isaac McKinney, says that he is a resident and citizen of Stinking Creek, Knox county, Kentucky, and the owner of a farm on said Creek, and that some years back he sold and conveyed to F. D. Sampson his mineral rights for an agreed consideration which was then satisfactory and is now satisfactory, and affiant lives among the people who sold their mineral right to said F. D. Sampson on Stinking Creek and affiant has never heard any complaint about the deeds for the mineral or about any transactions had with said F. D. Sampson, on account of said mineral, until the last few days and since B. B. Golden, a lawyer, came up through that part of the county and came to affiant and other men and asked them to make affidavits about the land trades to be used in this campaign. Affiant refused to make an affidavit for the said Golden, because he could not truthfully do so. Affiant has talked with many of the persons who dealt with F. D. Sampson at different times before this campaign came up, and all of said persons gave Sampson credit for being fair and honest with them and made no complaint whatever about any trade made with him. It is affiant's belief that all this talk about the mineral trades is nothing more than ordinary campaign talk and most of it is intended to injure the said Sampson in his race and as soon as the campaign is over there will be nothing more said about it. Affiant does not believe that the said Sampson ever wronged any man in any mineral or land trade.

ISAAC MCKINNEY.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me by Isaac McKinney, this February 13, 1911.

LILA HAYES,  
Notary Public Knox County.  
My commission expires March 4, 1914.

STATE OF KENTUCKY,  
COUNTY OF KNOX.

The affiant, James Patterson, says that he is a citizen of Knox county and resides on Main Stinking Creek in said county; that he is 53 years old and that his post office is Eric, Knox County, Ky.

Affiant says that in the year 1901 affiant sold to F. D. Sampson one tract of mineral rights on Stinking Creek. Affiant says that said tract of mineral was conveyed to the said Sampson for the sum of \$250. Affiant says that \$250 was the agreed price between affiant and F. D. Sampson for said boundary of mineral rights. Affiant says that F. D. Sampson paid affiant off of the purchase price of said mineral rights at the time affiant conveyed the same to the said Sampson.

Affiant says that at the time affiant sold said mineral rights to F. D. Sampson that affiant wanted to sell said mineral rights; that affiant was satisfied with the amount he received for said mineral rights at the time affiant sold said mineral rights and is at this time satisfied with said sale and has been at all times since said sale satisfied with said sale.

Affiant says that he has heard of no dissatisfaction from anyone regarding the sale of mineral rights in his neighborhood or on Stinking Creek where F. D. Sampson bought mineral rights.

Affiant says that he does not believe that F. D. Sampson swindled affiant or cheated him in any way when the said Sampson bought at

affiant's mineral rights. Affiant says that he is acquainted with several persons who sold mineral rights to F. D. Sampson and affiant has heard no complaint from any one of them on account of having been swindled by F. D. Sampson but on the other hand affiant says they are all well satisfied.

JAMES (X) PATTERSON.

Given under my hand this, the 10 day of February, 1911, and sworn to by James Patterson before me, a Notary Public for Knox County.

JNO. W. MEASER,  
Notary Public Knox County.  
My commission expires January 29, 1912.

## "TUBERCULOSIS DAY" APRIL 30TH, 1911

Churches of Kentucky Will Fight Consumption.

HOPE TO ENLIST 250,000 MEMBERS.

April 30th has been set aside this year as "Tuberculosis Day", and will be observed by 200,000 churches in the country in a manner similar to that of "Tuberculosis Sunday" in 1910, when over 40,000 sermons were preached on the prevention of consumption. The Kentucky Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis states that it will make a special effort to enlist every one over 1200 members in Kentucky to give their co-operation in bringing this vitally important subject before the members of their respective churches. It is estimated that in this way over 250,000 persons in Kentucky will be enlisted in this movement.

In one respect "Tuberculosis Day" of this year will differ from "Tuberculosis Sunday" of 1910. Instead of requesting the churches to give to the tuberculosis cause a special Sunday service, the State Association is this year going to ask that meetings at which tuberculosis and its prevention is discussed, be held on Sunday April 30th, or on any day near that date, either in the week preceding or the week following. The object is to get as many people in Kentucky as possible to think about this great problem at the same time.

It is conservatively estimated that there are in Kentucky today at least 20,000 persons suffering from this disease in some form or other.

The State Association is planning to distribute educational leaflets in connection with this day, and it is earnestly desired that the public will take an active part in stamping out the preventable disease which sends over 6,500 Americans to an early grave every year, and causes an enormous loss to our state of over \$1,000,000 annually.

## CALEB POWERS

To Speak at Banquet in Chicago Saturday Night

Associated Press Telegram, to the Lexington Leader, March 1st, says: Caleb Powers of Kentucky, will be a banquet speaker in Chicago Saturday night. He is coming to the city on the annual reunion of the American Alumni of Valparaiso University.

## Administrator's Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of M. Ellis, or who are owing the estate, are required to meet me at the law office of W. R. Layton in the Court House in Barbourville, on March 15, 1911, with their claims properly proven according to law, or else they will be forever barred from same. Dated and filed for public administration of said estate, this 1st day of March, 1911.  
J. E. GOLDEN,  
Public Administrator Knox County.



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The Official Organ of the Republican Party in Knox County.

## IS W. R. BLACK A SAINT OR A HYPOCRITE?

W. R. Black has been going about over the District with a long face, praising himself and boasting of his honor and honesty, as a man and his uprightness as a Judge.

Let us look into his record, as a man and as a Judge, and see how much there is in his boasts.

In the first place, he entered this race by entering into a fraudulent collusion with one J. N. Sharp, the attorney for the R. O. Campbell Coal Co., in an attempt to deceive the people and injure the good name of one of Knox County's most honored and respected citizens.

Mr. Black, why did you and J. N. Sharp meet at the Victoria Hotel, in Louisville, a few days before you became a candidate? And why did you make your announcement for office on the very same day that J. N. Sharp filed that unjust suit?

The R. O. Campbell Coal Co. is operating some large mines in Whitley county, and J. N. Sharp is their lawyer. If some poor, unfortunate man is killed or injured for life in that Company's mines, and he files suit against that Company, will you dismiss the suit, like you did John Humkin's and many others, and in that way reward Sharp and other big corporations for helping you to try to destroy Judge Sampson, the people's friend? A high-toned gentleman, like you say you are, ought to be above such low methods.

When you discovered that the people saw through your scheme, and that the "law-suit" needed bolstering up, what did you do? You called upon a corporation lawyer—your law-partner, B. B. Golden, and he rushed to the rescue. You wanted to get affidavits from someone, you did not care who, nor by what method, so that the person would swear against Judge Sampson and serve your purpose.

Now, let's see how this saintly man, and upright Judge, Black, goes about getting these affidavits. He has his man to fill his saddle bags with money and liquor, and goes to Stinking Creek. He fills old man John Baker with whiskey and gives them money, and tries to get statements and persuades those who were ignorant of the matter to give affidavits, without knowing their contents. Read the affidavits of John Baker, Isaac McKinney and others in this issue of the Advocate.

Mr. Black, how are you going to reward B. B. Golden and his clients, the L. & N. Railroad Co. and other corporations, for doing this dirty work for you? When a poor man gets his arm cut off, or gets killed by their engines or their corporations, will you do like you did in the John Baker case and others by dismissing them and let the poor man and his family go without relief?

Mr. Black, when questions would come up before you for decision in the Knox County Court, how often have your Uncle James D. Black and your law-partners, "Baker" and "Golden" decided the matter? Why were they with you and nodding their heads and whispering to you? And why did you wait until they, or one of them, would come to the head to you before deciding a matter? Are you so cowardly in getting the railroad lawyers all over the State to get G. V. Wilson to appoint you as Judge?

Then, again, Mr. Black, you have been representing the railroads and other corporations for years. They have been paying you well. Now, when you turn as lawyer against them, where will you go? Won't you go back to your old partners, the railroads, and other corporations, and won't you again become the active law-partner of James D. Black, B. B. Golden, H. H. Owens and F. D. Black?

When you are in Barbourville, where do you spend your time? Don't you spend your time in Black and Golden's office? And are you not now a silent partner with these men? Of course, you will deny these things, but the people can see.

Why was the law agent of the Cumberland Valley and Knoxville Divisions of the L. & N. railroad in Barbourville on the day the election was to have been held in "Tanney" precinct? And why was he taking so much interest in your race? Why are the Superintendents of these divisions of the L. & N. electioneering for you? You say you are for the people. Why is it that these big corporations are so friendly to you and are so interested in your race, and why are these corporations and their lawyers so strongly opposed to Judge Sampson? Don't you think that the corporations and their lawyers know that you are their friend?

Why did an officer of a certain big corporation in Knox County write to a certain person connected with that corporation and ask him to vote for you, and state that that company could afford to give one hundred thousand dollars to beat Sampson? Was it not because you are the friend of that corporation? The people regard you as the tool and cat's-paw of your Uncle James D. Black and B. B. Golden and the Corporations. You have been exalting yourself, but the Bible says that "He that exalteth himself shall be abased."

You are not stating the truth when you say that "Judge Sampson did not give \$25.00 to the Baptist Church or Baptist Institute." You say you know this, because you have investigated the matter yourself. Now, you must know that you are spreading a falsehood. Mr. Wm. Amis, who is actively connected with the Baptist Church and Baptist Institute, has the books, showing a part of what Judge Sampson gave these institutions, and these records show that he gave over \$100.00.

Don't you think that a saintly man like you ought to tell the truth? There is scarcely a school or church in the county that Judge Sampson has not helped—materially. Where did you ever help build a church, except a Catholic church?

Mr. Black, you are now trying to be friendly, and shake hands

with the people. When did you ever notice a country man, or shake hands with him until you wanted to run for office?

Judge Sampson was endorsed for the appointment for Circuit Judge by all the officials of Knox County, all the officers of the city of Barbourville, most of the officials of Whitley County, the Republican State Senators and Members of the Legislature, many prominent lawyers, United States Senator W. O. Bradley, and, best of all, by about two thousand honest citizens of Knox and Whitley counties. Mr. Black, who endorsed you for appointment? Twelve persons from Knox and thirteen from Whitley county, and half of these were corporation lawyers and the remainder were your folks. But we are reliably informed that the railroad lawyers all over the State endorsed you. Mr. Black, why did you not ask the people instead of the railroad lawyers to endorse you? You can get an appointment without asking the people, but now you must come to the people. You ignored the people when you were trying to get the appointment, and you have ignored the people since you got the appointment, and you will now find that the people are going to ignore you.

And again, if you are the nice man, the honorable man you claim for yourself, why did you and your brothers have a certain person brought here from Laurel county and try to bribe that person to swear to a false statement against Judge Sampson? Why did your brother and yourself take this same person to Corbin and try to bribe them to swear to a false statement for money? The people have found out these things; you are not deceiving anyone but yourself.

You also boast of your Republicanism. Why is it that the Democrats have such a hankering after you? We can tell you why—read W. W. Byrley's affidavit. You took money in 1896 and went to Stinking Creek and tried to buy votes for the Democratic party, and because you could not buy them to vote that ticket you got mad and "cussed" a little bit.

Your friends say that you are in the habit of voting with the Democrats and helping to defeat Republican nominees. Don't you know that you and your relatives voted for a Democrat for Circuit Court Clerk, and also for a Police Judge against the regular Republican nominees in 1900, and don't you know that you tried to get others to do so?

Mr. Black, don't you wish the Corporations and Democrats could settle the matter? You would be strictly in it, wouldn't you?

But the common people, Republicans only, will decide who shall be the Republican nominee. Judge Sampson is a true-blue Republican and a friend of the people, and the Republicans are for him. We say that he is more popular than Caleb Powers, and he will carry Knox County by a much larger vote than Powers did.

Do you think a saint, or even an upright Judge ought to help bring about an unjust suit against any man?

Do you think a saint or any sort of a Judge ought to get affidavits by the use of money and liquor, or try to bribe a person to make a false statement against any man?

Judge Black sticks his nose in the air like the Pharisee, and says he thanks the Lord he is not like other men, and especially Judge Sampson; but Judge Sampson's friends are especially thankful that he is not like W. R. Black.

Sampson wears no Corporation collar. He is not the tool or cat's-paw of a lot of Railroad lawyers. He is not using money and whiskey to bribe people. He is not getting up false charges against any one. He is not circulating falsehoods against anyone. He is an honest man, a friend to the poor man; he helps the needy. He is public-spirited and a true-blue Republican, always supporting the nominees of the party and has never failed to raise his voice on the stump in the interest of every State and National ticket since he became old enough to vote. He will make a fair and honest Judge, and every man will get his rights.

### The R. O. Campbell Contract.

First National Bank of Barbourville,  
Barbourville, Ky.

This will authorize you to draw sight draft on the R. O. Campbell Coal Co of Atlanta Ga. for all deeds for coal property left with you by Judge F. D. Sampson, same to be certified as good title by Judge Sampson, and to be held in trust by your bank until ten thousand acres, more or less, are secured.

Price on above to be (four) \$4.00 per acre for mineral and timber rights to move the mineral.

Yours very truly,

R. O. CAMPBELL.

Jellico, Tenn., May 7, '06.

The above is an exact copy of the letter.

ROBERT W. COLE, Cashier.

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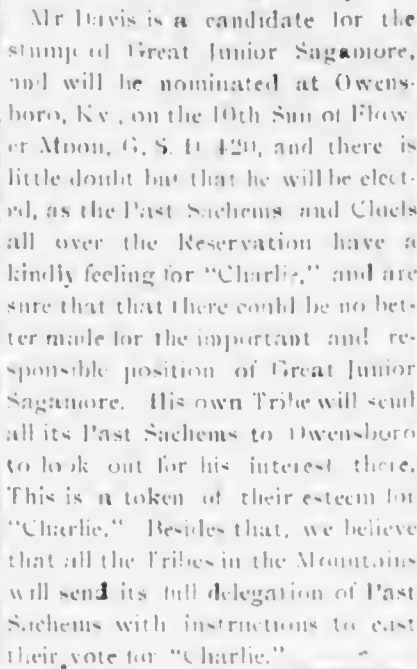
Of Barbourville, Kentucky  
as a candidate for the nomination for Circuit Judge of the 34th Judicial District of Kentucky, subject to the Republican Primary, to be held Mar. 25, 1911.

Of Middlesboro, Bell County  
as a candidate for re-election to  
the office of State Senator from  
the 17th Senatorial District in  
Kentucky, subject to the Repub-  
lican Primary, March 4th, 1911.

Frank Thawn is building a new double-deck porch to his residence. He has more buildings now on his lot, considering its size, than any man in town. Before he can build much more he will have to tear down some that he has erected.

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CARTER HUGHES.

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Read the following affidavits, and  
here are many others. You then  
see who is behind these false  
charges against Judge Sampson,  
this is the same B. B. Gold who  
sines with the Democrats and tried  
to hang them hang Caleb Powers  
and damn the Republican party":  
State of Kentucky,  
County of Knox

Admitt says that on or about the  
day of ———, 1911, one

Almont further says that he makes  
two affidavits with his own tree, will  
and record.

This, the 7th day of Feb., 1911.  
JOHN BAKER.  
Subscribed and sworn to by John  
Baker before me, a Notary Public  
for Knox Co.  
Given under my hand this, Feb. 7,  
1911.

JOHN W. MESSER,  
Notary Public for Knox Co.  
Commission expires Jan. 29, 1912.  
P. O. Mills, Ky.

STATE OF KENTUCKY } S. S.  
COUNTY OF KNOX }

We, the undersigned, each for himself and for herself, as the case may be, state on oath that we sold to Judge J. D. Sampson mineral and timber rights and rights-of-way on Spring Creek, in Knox County: to give each for himself agreed upon. We gave each of acres and received full pay on all the acres of mineral we sold to him and the full price per acre agreed upon. The said mineral rights are many miles from any railroad and we thought that we were getting a fair price for same. JUDGE SAMPSON DID NOT SWINDLE OR FRAUD US, OR HAD ANY PURPOSE OR INTENTION TO DO SO. We agreed upon the number of acres and the price, and upon each of us all that he agreed to pay. We sold the said mineral rights to Judge Sampson and made all deeds according to our several contracts with him. The R. O. Coal & Coal Co., nor the R. O. Coal & Oil Mining Co. was not mentioned in the transaction. We made deeds to Judge Sampson. We had nothing to do with his selling the land to any Company. That was a matter between Judge Sampson and the other party. We did not agree to take. WE DO NOT MAKE OF ANY TROUBLE OR COMPLAINT UNTIL B. B. GORDEN, ATTY., CAME INTO OUR COMMUNITY A FEW DAYS AGO. And we also desire, each one for himself, to state that it is our

opinion that the AFFIDAVITS OF  
A. Y. MULLS AND OTHERS WILL  
NOT EFFECT JUDGE SAMP-  
SON'S RACE, UNLESS IT WILL  
MAKE THE PEOPLE IN THIS  
END OF THE COUNTY STRONG-  
LIED FOR JUDGE SAMPSON. We  
knew Judge Sampson as a man and  
as a lawyer, and we know the other  
gentlemen. IT IS OUR HONEST  
OPINION THAT JUDGE SAMP-  
SON HAS A LARGE MAJORITY  
OF THE VOTES IN THIS END OF  
THE COUNTY. It will require  
more than these affidavits to shake  
our confidence in Judge Sampson.  
We are informed that more lands  
can be bought in our end of  
the county at the same price Judge  
Sampson paid.

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|------------------|--------------|
| Lynch Patterson, | Jas. Messer, |
| John Mc. Messer, | Jas. Gray,   |
| James Patterson, | John Baker,  |
| Gord Gambrell,   | Peter Baker, |
| Linky Hubbard,   | Isaac Mills, |
| Henry Baker      | G. W. Smith, |
| Richard Messer.  |              |

I, John W. Messer, Notary Public,  
for the County and State aforesaid,  
certify that foregoing affidavits was  
made to the above named persons by  
me, and signed and sworn to by  
each of them in my presence, this  
1st of February, 1911.

JOHN W. MESSER, N. P.,  
For Knox Co.  
Commission expires Jan. 29, 1912.



Evangelist H. A. Hunt and wife, of St. Louis, who are holding a series of revival meetings at the Cumberland River Baptist Church of this city

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